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HOUSE BILL 426

44TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 1999

INTRODUCED BY

Terry Marquardt

AN ACT

RELATING TO CHILD-CARE FACILITIES; REQUIRING A BACKGROUND
CHECK ON INDIVIDUALS WHO WORK AT CHILD-CARE FACILITIES;
AMENDING A SECTION OF THE CHILDREN' S CODE.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. Section 32A-15-3 NMSA 1978 (being Laws 1985,
Chapter 103, Section 3 and also Laws 1985, Chapter 140,
Section 3) is amended to read:

"32A-15-3. CRIMINAL RECORDS CHECK- - BACKGROUND CHECKS. - -

A. Nationwide criminal record checks shall be
conducted of all operators, staff and employees and
prospective operators, staff and employees of child-care
facilities, including every facility or program having primary
custody of children for twenty hours or more per week,
juvenile detention, correction or treatment facilities, with

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1 the objective of protecting the children involved and
2 promoting [~~such~~] the children's safety and welfare while
3 receiving service through such facilities or program

4 B. The department shall conduct a background check
5 of all operators, staff and employees and prospective
6 operators, staff and employees of child-care facilities by
7 submitting a fingerprint card for those individuals to the
8 department of public safety and the federal bureau of
9 investigation. "

10 Section 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. --The effective date of the
11 provisions of this act is July 1, 1999.

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6 February 18, 1999
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8 Mr. Speaker:
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10 Your LABOR AND HUMAN RESOURCES COMMITTEE, to
11 whom has been referred
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16 recommendation that it DO PASS, and thence referred to the
17 JUDICIARY COMMITTEE.

18 Respectfully submitted,
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23 Sheryl Williams Stapleton,
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11 Yes: 6

12 Excused: Pederson

13 Absent: Foley, Roberts

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March 8, 1999

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Mr. President:

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March 17, 1999

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Mr. President:

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Your JUDICIARY COMMITTEE, to whom has been referred

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